GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2065
ANSWERED ON:03.12.2001
AGRICULTURE TRAINING CENTRE
RAJO SINGH

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received any proposal from the Government of Biharfor Central assistance to set up a State Level Agriculture Training Centre in the State; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which the assistance by the Union Government is likely to be provided?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a): Yes, Sir.

Under World Bank funded National Agricultural Technology Project (NATP),Government of India have received a proposal from Government of Bihar to set up a StateAgricultural Management and Extension Training Institute (SAMETI) at RajendraAgricultural University (RAU), Samastipur, Bihar.

(b): As against the proposal of Rs.89.6 lakhs submitted by Government of Bihar, the competent authority under NATP i.e. Technology Dissemination Management Committee(TDMC) have sanctioned and released the first instalment of Rs.25.00 lakhs on 4th May, 2001 to the Director, SAMETI at RAU, Samastipur, Bihar.